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June 27th 1946

Mr. Abe. Manley,
c/o Newark Eagles Base Ball Club,
17 Crawford Street,
Newark. N. J.

Dear Sir:

We have been informed that you control the Newark franchise of the Newark Eagles of the National Negro League and the territorial rights for this district.

This Association for the past twenty-four years has been playing exhibition games against most of the teams in the league, some long before they affiliated with the league but since the start of the 1946 season you, through exercising territorial rights have refused to permit them to come to East Orange. We have been given to understand that if an application is made direct to you that you would consider lifting this ban. Since some of the teams have expressed a desire to play in East Orange, when no conflicting date with a League game is available, consider this letter as an application for release of these teams wishing to play covered by your territorial rights.

Thanking you for your prompt reply, We are

Yours very truly,

Self Addressed Envelope
Enclosed.

East Orange Base Ball Ass'n Inc.

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